SRI A. GAJAPATHY NAYAGAR :—" மஹாபலிபுரம் என்றிருக்கும் பெயரை மாற்றி மாமல்லபுரம் என்ற பெயரை அரசாங்கத்தார் ஏற்படுத்துவார்களா? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" This question has already been answered, Sir."

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" Sir, the other day my Colleague the Minister for Finance answered a similar question put by the same hon. Member."

SRI A. GAJAPATHY NAYAGAR :—" கனம் நிதி மந்திரி அவர்கள் சொன்னார்கள். ஆனால் பெயரை மாற்றுவார்களா ? "

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" Sir, I remember to have listened to a reply given by my Colleague the Finance Minister the other day. I suppose the hon. Member was satisfied with that answer."

SRI A. GAJAPATHY NAYAGAR :—" நான் கேட்பதெல்லாம் பெயரை மாற்றுவார்களா இல்லையா என்பதாகும்."

SRI A. SUBRAMANYAM :—" மஹாபலிபுரம், மாமல்லபுரம் ஆகிய இரண்டும் தப்பு. மாவல்லபுரம் என்பதே சரியானதாகும். மாவல்லபுரம் என்பது எல்லா வகைகளிலும் பெயர் பெற்ற ஒரு நல்ல பெயர். ஆகவே மாவல்லபுரம என்ற பெயரை அரசாங்கத்தார் வைப்பார்களா என்று கேட்கின்றேன்."

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" Sir, my humble suggestion is that we need not waste time over these trifles."

SRI M. P. GOVINDA MENON —" മഹാബലിപുരം എന്നുള്ള് കേരള ചക്രവർത്തിയായിരുന്ന മഹാബലിയുടെ പേരിൻെറ ഓർമ്മക്കാകകൊണ്ടു് ആ പേര് മാററരുതെന്നു് ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട മന്ത്രി തീർച്ചപ്പെടുത്തുമോ ? " (Laughter.)

Kundah Hydro-Electric Scheme.

* 249 *Q.*—SRI T. PURUSHOTHAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to lay on the table of the House a statement showing the progress made with regard to the implementation of the Kundah Hydro-Electric Scheme and to state—

(*a*) whether plans and estimates are ready ; and

(*b*) whether the above projects has been included in the First or Second Five-Year Plan?

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" The plans and estimates relating to the Kundah Hydro-Electric Scheme are ready and have been submitted to the Planning Commission, whose approval for inclusion of the Scheme in the First Five-Year Plan is awaited. The

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execution of the scheme will be taken on hand as soon as the Commission's approval therefor has been received. In the circumstances, the question of laying a statement on the table of the House regarding the progress made on the implementation of the scheme does not arise."

SRI T. PURUSHOTHAM :—" Will the State Government address the Central Government and press for the inclusion of this scheme in the Second Five-Year Plan?"

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" Sir, we have been pressing for the inclusion of this scheme even in the First Five-Year Plan. Failing that, it will find a place in the Second Five-Year Plan. It all depends on their decision."

Supply of Electricity to the Avadi Session of the Indian National Congress.

* 250 Q.—SRI V. GURUNANDAN ROW : Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(a) the number of Government officers and workmen specially deputed for work connected with the supply of electricity to the Avadi Session of the Indian National Congress; and

(b) whether any of them worked for more than the normal hours and if so, whether they were paid any overtime allowance?

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" (a) Nine officers and 21 workmen, Sir.

" (b) Only some of them worked for more than the normal hours on a few days. Overtime allowance will be paid to daily paid workmen only. Others are not entitled to such allowance."

SRI V. GURUNANDAN ROW :—" Was such overtime or part-time allowance paid by the Indian National Congress?"

THE HON. RAJA SRI SHANMUGA RAJESWARA SETHUPATHI :—" It will be collected from the Reception Committee, Sir."

Vacancy in the post of Assistant Transport Commissioner.

* 251 Q.—SRIMATHI JOTHI VENKATACHELLUM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Religious Endowments and Transport be pleased to state—

(a) whether the post of Assistant Transport Commissioner in the Madras Government Transport is vacant;

(b) if so, the reason therefor; and

(c) for how long it has been kept vacant?

THE HON. SRI B. PARAMESWARAN :—" (a) The answer is in the negative.

" (b) & (c) Do not arise."